

DEATHS

MRS. SARAH F. SIMMONS died at her home, 3 1-2 miles southwest of Bogard, December 28, 1911. She was born November 7th 1840, being 71 years old at the time of her death. Her maiden name was Miss Sarah F. Vivian. She married Henry C. Simmons May 20th, 1862. To this union six children were born, three of whom survive her. She joined the Christian church in her girlhood days and was a devoted Christian during her life.

Funeral services were conducted at the home by Rev. W. C. Baird, of Bogard. Her remains were brought to this city Saturday and were laid to rest in Ridge Park cemetery. A short service was held at the grave conducted by Eld. B. T. Wharton.

The deceased and her family were former residents of this county.

MRS. C. J. JESTER died at her home in Newkirk, Okla., on Dec. 15th, aged 66 years. She was a former resident of Saline and moved away seventeen years ago. She is survived by the husband and three children. Also three brothers (C. P., A. M. and T. S. Guthrey) and three sisters—Miss Emma Guthrey, Mrs. Lucy Carpenter, Mrs. Nora Tucker. The first five named reside in Saline. She was a good woman and left many friends here and at her home.

SAMUEL SULLIVAN.—Rev. L. F. Clemmens informs us of the death of Samuel Sullivan, one of the county's pioneer citizens at the home of his daughter near Miami. He died yesterday morning at the age of 93 years. His funeral will occur Thursday afternoon at Harmony and Mr. Clemmens will conduct the services. We will try to give a more complete notice of this splendid old citizen next week.

WILLIAM JAMES HERNDON died at his home on East North St. yesterday morning at the age of 82 years, 5 months and 18 days, of a complication of ailments. His funeral will occur today (Thursday) at 11 a. m. and burial in Mt. Olive cemetery. Rev. B. T. Wharton will conduct the services at the residence.

Mr. Herndon was married twice. First to Mary Ellen McMahan of Cooper county, to which union the surviving children were born. She died 35 years ago. He was married 24 years ago to Mrs. Wm. Harris, who survives him. The surviving children of the first marriage are Mrs. R. P. Mathis, John T. Herndon, Mrs. J. H. Clark, Mrs. T. M. Fisher of Oklahoma, Mrs. G. H. Fenwick, W. L. Herndon, B. W. Herndon of Lodi, Cal., Mrs. F. H. Boatright. All are here.

Mr. Herndon was born in Bourbon county, Kentucky in 1829 and came here with his parents when one year old.

He was a member of the Christian church and also a Mason. He lived a consistent and honorable life and his death removes from our midst an excellent citizen.

Uncalled for Letters

Remaining in the Marshall, Mo. post office Jan. 3d 1912. If not called for in 15 days will be sent to the dead letter office at Washington, D. C. ()

Ladies—Mrs. Annis Britt, Mrs. Eliza J. Deckard, Miss Juanita Walden.

Gentlemen—L. P. Arnold, W. M. Coleman, Leonard Danderman, L. H. Kashner, James Jackson, E. H. Meadett, S. B. Paul, Paul Wiseheart, E. M. White.

L. W. VANDYKE, P. M.

Local Market.

Marshall, Mo. Jan. 3, 1912
Corrected weekly by the Marshall Produce Co.

Eggs	22c doz.
Hens	80lb.
Spring Chickens	90lb.
Roosters	40 "
Ducks	80 "
Geese	80 "
Butter	16c "
Turkeys	14c "

Caught Big Wolf

Carl Keehart, of northeast of town, caught a big she wolf in a steel trap on Dec. 23d. The wolf weighed about 75 lbs. and would have been a dangerous proposition if tackled unarmed. We understand the state has ceased paying bounties on wolves.

Saline County Fair

Owing to the small attendance last Wednesday afternoon the Saline County Fair Association meeting was put off to Friday, Jan. 5th. John Barr and C. B. Bacon were appointed to solicit further subscriptions. We hope there will be a good attendance Friday and that the fair will be put on a business footing. Saline county certainly ought to support a fair and it can be made a success if properly managed.

No Trial Cases

Attorney D. D. Duggins informs us that the Saline county bar has decided to ask for no trial cases to be passed on in the Circuit Court next week on account of the serious illness of Judge Davis' wife. The jurors are therefore not expected to appear this term.

Knights of Columbus Ball.

The Knights of Columbus held their annual holiday ball at their hall on West North street Thursday evening.

Not a dull moment was there during the entire evening as the Knights are noted for their hospitality and everyone was careful to see that they enjoyed the event—which all say they did.

Balthia orchestra furnished the music and the music they made was so entrancing that the morning hours were breaking before the dancers ceased tripping the light fantastic. Members from Glasgow and Slater were present.

Has Cholera Cure

G. W. Ledon, who was here last week from Gardner, Kansas, says he has a positive hog cholera cure. He has used it successfully for seven years without losing a single hog, although his neighbors have lost hundreds.

He gave us the formula, as follows:

Take 5c worth of copperas, dissolved; 5c blue vitriol, half box Lewis' concentrated lye, 5c sulphur and mix with twenty gallons of shipstuf. Feed to hogs in morning. If hogs are sick feed them each day; if well, once a week.

Real Estate Transfers

D. M. Forbes to A. L. Merrifield 170 acres 20-32-22	1
Joseph Ruff to P. M. Wilcox 40 acres 14-48-22	3220
Richard P. Mayes to Arthur D. Mayes 30 acres 3-48-22	2250
R. D. Campbell by Adm'r to Ann E. Chaffee lot 1 block 9 Alexander & Sandidge add Marshall	800
Thos E. Tickemeyer to John L. Sowash 40 acres in 19-48-20	1600
Mollie Hart et al to Trustees of German Evangelical St. Lucas Church Grand Pass	1200
Margaret E. Clide to John H. Clide 70 acres 21-51-22	3500
John Schooley to John H. Clide 80 acres 28-51-22	2000
Mary E. Hazen to John & Frank Clide all int in Joseph Clide estate	1
L. J. Rasse to trustees Hannibal Lodge A. F. & A. M. lots 1, 2 block 2 English add Marshall	800
Nannie A. Henson to John R. Crompt lot 12 block 11 Slater, Mo.	1950
Wm P. Brashears to Turner L. Williams 1-3 int in lot 3 block 4 Grand Pass	50
Emma H. Tunk to same same	50
Ed R. Peterson to Thomas H. Boulware et al 5.48 acres in 12-50-21	1600

Around Town

Chas. Potter, the saddlery man, made a bad mistake recently. A lady customer came in to buy a large laprobe and he had only small ones in stock. He said he had some large ones ordered—so large they would go around her three times or he would make her a present of one. The lady was not of the bean-pole variety and when the lap robes came the largest would not go around the lady twice, but the lady customer is still shy a handsome present.

Nelson Business Block Burned

Bank, General Store, Drug Store and Offices in Ashes

Fire Tuesday night destroyed five buildings, comprising an entire block, at Nelson and caused a heavy loss. The fire originated in Feis' general store and the cause is unknown probably an overheated stove. The store is a branch of the Slater store and was in charge of Wade Higginbotham. The stock was a complete loss.

The Farmers and Merchants Bank was on the corner south of Feis' store. At the time of going to press the safe had not been opened, so it is not certain whether any money is lost, but it is supposed to be safe. The bank went on with business in the best way it could.

North of Feis' store was Sneed's drug store which occupied two store rooms. This was also a complete loss.

North of Sneed's was Dr. J. D. Smith's office, which was also burned. The bank building was of brick, the others frame.

Parks-Veatch

A wedding of unusual interest occurred at Helper, Kansas on December 25th when George Parks son of Mrs. Ambrose Parks of Veatch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Veatch, formerly of this city were married at the home of the bride.

Immediately after the wedding the happy young couple returned to Marshall and to the home prepared by the groom north of town.

The groom is one of our excellent young farmers who has many friends to congratulate him on his clever capture, while the bride is well remembered here as a most charming young lady.

Strodtman-McMillon

Leander L. Strodtman, formerly of Saline county, but now a resident of Kansas City and Miss Kezia E. McMillon, of Glasgow, were united in marriage at Independence, in the court house by Judge E. Thomas E. Chinn, Saturday, Dec. 23, 1911.

An elegant wedding dinner was prepared for them at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Strodtman, of near Independence. They received many useful and beautiful presents. After a brief visit with their parents, the happy couple left for their home that Mr. Strodtman had already prepared at 2313 East 15th street, Kansas City, Mo.

Mr. Strodtman is an honorable, upright and industrious young man. The bride is a worthy and industrious young lady and will make the man of her choice a good wife.

They have the heartiest congratulations and best wishes of their friends in a life of happiness and prosperity.

Martin-Thompson

Stanley Martin and Miss Florence Thompson, daughter of Mrs. Ida Thompson of this city were married at the home of Rev. J. E. Cortner, December 25th. Only a number of the brides closest friends were witnesses of the impressive ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Martin departed Monday for Leavenworth, Kansas, where he is employed as lineman for the Bell Telephone Co. He expects to be removed to Springfield before long. He was here in the employ of the Company for over a year and met the lady of his choice who was operator for the company. The bride was one of our city's most admirable young ladies and had numerous friends who extend congratulations to them.

Marriage License

Ira Qualey, Marshall
Julia Barnett, Marshall
Marshall Hightower, Miami.
Mary Chesser, Miami.

Cedar Camp M. W. A. installed the following officers Monday night: A. L. Preston, Consul; Dr. G. E. Scrutcheff, Advisor; Joe Swisher, Banker; C. W. Peacher, Clerk; E. Clark, Escort; J. W. Brayman, Watchman; J. Poindeexter, Sentry; Nolla Bingham, Post Consul. Refreshments were served later.

Hill-Lear

A very pretty home wedding took place Christmas Day at 11.45 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Seipes, the contracting parties being Mr. F. Hill and Miss Annott Lear. The ceremony was witnessed by members of the family only was performed by Rev. Rev. Roberts of the Baptist church.

The parties are two of our most popular young people and have a host of friends who join us in extending congratulations. The bride graduated from the Slater High School last spring and is talented and accomplished with a cheerful and sweet disposition.

The groom who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hill is a very worthy industrious young man and one of the Alton's efficient employees.—Slater News.

Church Notes

Rev. F. L. Delaney, a Presbyterian preacher of Virginia preached at the First Presbyterian church Sunday. Next Sunday Rev. Patterson of Louisiana will preach there.

The county meeting of the Christian Church of Saline county will be held in Slater the fifth Sunday in March.

Rev. M. Denny, of Malta Bend, said his church netted \$15 at their oyster supper on Christmas evening.

Rev. Clarence Hodge and family arrived in this city yesterday. They will occupy a cottage on E. Yerby just west of James Walker.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Odell Avenue Presbyterian church met with Mrs. C. M. Siler Tuesday, it being the regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Geo. Jenkins a missionary who has recently returned from China was present.

A public remark Sunday that the gospel is not preached as it should be caused quite a sensation to the hearers. The speaker added that our church people are going to the bad without realizing it. But it seems the truth, regardless of whether it is realized or not. The preachers are not to blame entirely for not telling the whole truth as they are not expected to do so. Most church members are more concerned about who shall occupy the places of honor than who shall be saved; the members expect bouquets thrown at them constantly instead of being told that they are a stumbling block rather than an inspiration to their fellows under present conditions.

Among the Sick

Mrs. Morton has been sick the past two weeks but is some better.

Dr. F. W. Switzer has been on the sick list the past several weeks.

Mrs. J. D. Billingsley is still quite sick with grippe and rheumatism.

Dr. A. C. Putnam reports Chas. Walbourn, of Cretecher, much better after a serious illness of congestion of the liver.

Mrs. Mary Driver has been quite sick at the home of W. N. Dille, south of Gilliam of late.

Mrs. Fred Jungerman, of Shackelford, who has been very sick the past two weeks, is reported better.

Rev. S. H. Carter, formerly a Baptist missionary here, is reported seriously ill in a Kansas City hospital.

On account of the serious illness of his wife, Judge Samuel Davis did not teach the Bible class at the First Presbyterian church Sunday. Mrs. Davis is one of our city's most beloved ladies and her illness is much regretted.

M. T. Williams, who has been ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. P. W. Harris, of near Sulphur Springs, returned to Kansas City last Sunday, being well again. Theodore Harris accompanied him up.

Births

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Holmes Campbell, of Shackelford, Monday.

Col. F. M. Stone the auctioneer, and Judge W. D. Bush, attended E. D. Martin's disbarment case against Lyons and Davis in Kansas City last week as witnesses.

Saline County Fair Association

Commercial Club Decides to Give it Backing

The meeting of the Commercial Club at the Eagles home Tuesday evening was largely attended. It had been called for the purpose of considering the financial condition of the Saline County Fair Association.

G. A. Radford, president of the Commercial Club, presided and called for statements and talks by parties interested in the fair.

Thos. Bagnell being out of town and Ed Hawkins at home with a sick child, the figures were not to be had accurately, but it was learned that the fair association has a debt of about \$6000 on which suit has been brought.

Of the \$20,000 capital stock, \$18,000 has been paid in, the other \$2000 being uncollectable. The debt was caused by the new buildings.

The fair the first year lost about \$700 last year it paid expenses.

On a vote it was unanimously decided to encourage the fair financially and it was suggested that all who could, besides the committee named by the meeting, be present at the fair meeting at the court house Friday afternoon.

While it was admitted mistakes had been made, it was generally agreed that the capital stock ought to have been \$30,000 for the fair on the scale undertaken. It is very probable that this will be done. Already nearly \$5000 has been subscribed in addition to the capital stock and it is hoped the full \$10,000 can be raised in Marshall and the county. This will not only clear the debts but leave a working capital.

It was learned that one of the greatest difficulties was to secure a quorum of directors to transact business and this is to be remedied by an executive committee from Marshall or convenient to Marshall who can meet on short notice to transact business.

The management of the fair is to be changed, as well as new directors elected in place of those who resigned.

It was generally agreed that Marshall can and ought to have a successful fair and that by giving our people such a fair they will profit by it and patronize it so liberally that the association will be at least self-sustaining. The sentiment seemed also to be that the fair ought to be more of an agricultural fair than racing meet.

It is hoped that all interested will come out Friday afternoon whether stockholder or not.

Our Friends

The following are new subscribers or renewed during the past week.

Mrs. Bessie Fackler, Blackfalds, Canada.
J. W. Vogelmeier, Sweet Springs
Aug Tegtmeyer, Grand Pass
S. D. Clark, Sweet Springs.
C. L. Wagner, Blackburn
Martin Dierker, Mt. Leonard.
Chole J. Smith, Sweet Springs
Ida Moore, Slater
Porter Harris, Kingfisher, Okla.
Mrs. L. W. Arnold, Kansas City
L. K. Leonard, Miami
Mrs. C. W. Shely, Gee, Ky.
Oram Maupin, Blackburn
Cecile Carr, Slater
L. Fowler, Napton
Lewis Presley, Marshall
Henry Bartels, Blue Lick.
C. L. Lawless, Marshall
Mrs. S. L. Hayner, Slater
Ernest Hilton, Marshall
Mrs. J. T. Horner, Napton.
A. W. Shelton, Marshall.
Mrs. Katherine Lynch, Marshall
Charlie Stewart, Marshall.
Frank Brown, Marshall
Theo Staub, Malta Bend.
W. A. Smiley, Marshall
A. M. O'Donnell, Marshall
Mrs. Cecelia Judge, Shackelford
James Bell, Marshall
Chas. B. Leaper, Marshall
W. F. Boyd, Marshall
L. Driskell, Marshall
E. B. Roberts, Marshall
J. A. Hanna, Marshall
Henry Kapper, Marshall.
G. L. Thompson, Marshall
Mrs. E. J. Nichols, Marshall
Geo. Weber, Marshall
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This is an ideal stock ranch having an abundant supply of water and good grazing land, 120 acres in cultivation and about 60 per cent of the entire farm is tillable. Price \$25.00 per acre.

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Jeff Howard, Marshall.
J. A. Burgess, Marshall.
Mrs. P. W. Harris, Marshall.
Mrs. Bertha Sharkey, Hannibal
G. A. Rennie, Malta Bend.
Mrs. C. W. Hill, Lone Jack, Mo.
B. W. Colder, Marshall.
R. E. Stobie, Cleveland, Ohio.
M. F. Bradshaw, Marshall.
Mrs. J. B. McFadden, Marshall
N. L. Duncan, Marshall
Mrs. A. Crowder, Sweet Springs.
John Shellenberger, Taft, Cal.
Miss Dodson Davis, Alden, N. D.
Mrs. R. Bennett, Bixby, Okla.
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G. W. Yowell, Marshall
J. M. McClelland, Nelson.
Mrs. J. M. Duncan, Gilliam
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Miss Emma Harvey, Nelson.
Anderson Kirby, Miami
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J. P. Kurtz, Sweet Springs
J. P. Patterson, Spring Hill, Kan.
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Mrs. Maude Cox, Marshall
Mrs. Katherine Lynch, Marshall
A. J. Hayob, Marshall
J. P. Fulkerson, Mt. Leonard
Mrs. Wm. Smith, Bastrop, La.
J. F. Bentley, Marshall
R. M. Sutherland, Marshall
Sam Morton, Slater
Luther Thompson, Shackelford
J. R. Thompson, Shackelford.
Andrew Smith, Marshall
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Mrs. J. T. Featherstone, Marshall
Miss Estellah Montgomery, Marshall.
Mrs. Tona Rosenfeld, Miami.
Nay Alexander, Miami.
Walter Jackson, Blackburn
Mrs. Ida Pittman, Sweet Springs
Geo. Price, Marshall
Mrs. Pauline Tracy, Marshall.
Mrs. Katherine Lynch, Marshall
John T. Vaughan, Miami
J. A. Dennis, Marshall
Mrs. Jane Fenwick Sweet Springs

Miss Mabel McCall of Fulton, was the guest this week of the Misses Irvine on East North St.